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## Popvalve

● Being a column in which the publisher just "blows off the steam."

By Willard Jones

AMONG STORIES we heard several days ago aat a banquet celebrating the thirty-fifth anniversary of the Decatur Lions Club was a cute one about the hiccups.

It seems a fellow drove up to a drug store one evening and went to his favorite pharmacist inside to ask:

"I need something to cure the hiccups."

The pharmacist walked behind his friend, drew back naad let go of a hard lick with the fist to the man's back. "Now, did that cure you of the hiccups?" he asked.

"Man, it's not me that has the hiccups. It's my wife, and she's in the car out front."

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WISER MEN have left their imprint in the world with the words they have uttered. We owe a debt to them for such expressions as . . .

Very much of what we call the progress o ftoday consists in getting rid of false ideas, false conceptions of things, and in taking a point of view that enables us to see the principles, ideas and things in right relation to each other.—W. D. Hoard.

Life affords no higher pleasure than that of surmounting difficulties, passing from one step of success to another; forming new wishes and seeing them gratified. He that labors in any great or laudable undertaking has his fatigues first supported by hope and afterwards rewarded by joy.—Samuel Johnson.

The chief support fo an autocracy is a standing army. The chief support of a democracy is an educated people.—Lotus D. Cauffman.

Profit is a must. There can be no security for any employee in any business that doesn't make money. There can be no growth for that business. There can be no opportunity for the individual to achieve his personal ambitions unless his company makes money.—Duncan C. Menzies.

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MRS. LEMOINE OWENS, avid community and church worker, proved that she could "'dish it out" and take it, too, as she was being chided by this columnist about a so-called hat she had atop her noggin.

She was asked if she paid real money for the feathery little thing clamped on her head. After admitting that her husband, too, had teased her about the thing, she told a yarn about another woman who fell victim to a buying instinct.

This woman, she explained, had come home with a flashy looking fur coat. She hastened to explain to her husband that she tried it on and it looked good; it was on sale, and she couldn't resist the urge to buy it.

"Why' didn't you you say, 'Get thee behind me, satan'?" asked her hubby.

"I did," she replied. "Then satan told me, 'It looks from behind, too,' so I bought it!"

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IRENE GOGERTY notes a few pleasant experiences in her efforts to get away from the hustle an dbustle of every day life that offer relaxation:

I like the way a gust of wind will catch a column of smoke and hurl it madly into the sky. I like the mysterious quiet of rivers locked by the icy key of winter, the furry crust of snow on the little hills, and the remote aloofness of white-frosted high hills. I like the fine light that winks from an old fashioned kitchen range and the heat it extends into a freezing kitchen. I like the winding paths of woodland and the deep sense of peace in lone walks.

### The Country Parson

"If people don't believe it's better to give than to receive—they will when they figure their income tax."

# Hamlin Records Only 751 Poll Taxes, Exemptions

THIS NINE POUNDS OF VICIOUSNESS (the snake, that is) had lost most of his vinegar when the picture was made of the reptile that tied for first place as biggest rattlesnake caught in the Sweetwater Rattlesnake Round-Up last week-end. Mrs. Jack (Maxine) Russell of Hamlin, who caught the rattler, and pictured with her husband, was awarded a cash prize of $75 by the sponsoring Jaycees of Sweetwater of the annual event that attracted several thousand hunters and spectators. The snake was benig shown in Hamlin this week.

## Accident Drowning Ruled in Lake Death

Verdict of death by accidental drowning was rendered in the Sunday evening death of Henry W. Plemons of Hamlin by Justice of the Peace C. H. Branscum of Roby.

Body of the 71-year-old retired farmer was found afloat in the Hamlin West Lake about 8:45 Sunday evening by two teen-age brothers, who were members of a party of friends and relatives searching for the man some three hours after he had left his home at 220 Southwest Avenue D in Hamlin. Danny and Bobby McCurdy, high school boys, found the body. According to the boys, they were walking toward the lake dam and saw a hat and a pair of glasses on the ground. They used their flashlights along the banks of the lake and thus discovered the body, floating face up in the water.

Fisher County Sheriff Bus Rollans, Hamlin Police Chief Buddy Watson, Hamlin Policeman M. M. Cade, friends and relatives comprised the search party. The lake is in Fisher County, about a mile west of Hamlin, which is in Jones County.

Born March 30, 1889, in McLellan County, the drowning victim was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Plemons. He married the former Almeda Moon at Corinth in 1910, and had farmed in the Hamlin area for many years before retiring several years ago. He was a member of the Hitson Baptist Church.

Funeral services wre conducted Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the North Central Avenue Baptist Church. Officiating were the pastor, Rev. T. M. Harrell, and Rev. R. A. Guthrie, former pastor at Hitson.

Interment was in the New Hope Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Elbert Payne, Benson Payne, Eddie B. Hopper, Leonard Goodgame, John Sumrall, Robert Colwell, Robert Cary Sr. and Ralph Hellums.

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## Tickets for Senior Play Set for April 1 on Sale

Advance tickets for the annual play of the senior class of Hamlin High School, to be presented Friday evening, April 1, went on sale this week, report members of the group.

The three-act comedy, "Cheaper by the Dozen," features 16 memhbers of the senior class, and other class members are functioning in other capacities in staging the play.

## Rattler Caught by Hamlin Woman in Round-Up Ties for Award for Biggest

Going market price for heavyweight rattlesnakes at Sweetwater Sunday was more than $8 a pound—and a Hamlin woman shared in the top quotation.

Mrs. Jack (Maxine) Russell of Hamlin and H. J. Geron of Sweetwater shared honors for catching the heaviest snakes in the annual Sweetwater Rattlesnake Round-Up which ended Sunday at 6:00 p. m.

Sponsored by the Sweetwater Junior Chamber of Commerce, the affair was termed as outstandingly successful by Jere Lawrence, president of the Jaycees, and Hollis Ellis, hunt general chairman. They said the three-day hunt and other activities as "fun for the people who hunted, a good deed for land owners and residents of the areas where the snakes were located, and an outstanding sucsuccess as far as the Jaycees are concerned."

The 6,881 snakes officially registered as having been caught in the three-day affair weighed a total of 8,989 pounds. Jaycee officials estimated there were up to 2,000 snakes which were not registered.

Mrs. Russell's and Geron's snakes weighed nine pounds each. Mrs. Russell brought her catch in Saturday. Geron brought his prize winner in late Sunday. Each received a chck from the Jaycees fo r$75.

Mrs. Russell also won $25 for catching the rattler with the most rattles. Her prize winning heavyweight snake had 16 rattles.

Slim Slaton of Sweetwater won top prize of $100 for catching the most pounds of rattlesnakes. He brought in a total of 687 pounds, more than 500 rattlesnakes.

A marked rattlesnake, turned loose before the hunt by Jaycees, was not caught. This snake would have been worth $100.

A total of 257 hunters from Texas and several other states registered as snake hunters. More than 4,500 flocked to the Nolan County coliseum in the three days to view the snakes.

## Topping Put on Two Blocks of Pavement

Final coat of asphalt and gravel was being applied Tuesday and Wednesday to Southeast Second and Third Streets between Central Avenue and Southeast Avenue A by the paving contractors. Bud Chastain & Sons.

Bad weather has hampered the finishing of the paving project started early last winter.

Other paving projects for Hamlin are being planned for the spring and summer.

## Balmy Weather Sees More Work on Old Glory Project

After several days of warmer weather that has permitted big scale operation, the highway project from Hamlin north to Old Glory has made good headway.

First course of base material has been completed on the 8.8-mile highway stretch from the end of the pavement at the Jones-Stonewall County line four miles north of the Midwest Cooperative Oil Mill to the big Brazos River bridge east of the Hamlin Sand & Gravel Company plant.

Grading and drainage structures have been completed on the four-mile stretch north from the bridge to end of pavement five miles south of Old Glory. First course of base is now being applied.

Steel spans for the 230-foot main bridge section over the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River, scheduled to arrive first of last week, have again been delayed. Workmen at the project, however, are installing the steel "side-boards" on the rest of the big bridge that is 550 feet long and is costing more than $160,000.

The entire project still should be completed by early summer with fair working conditions, says Nelson Shave, resident engineer for the Texas Highway Department.

## Thursday Is Last Day To Buy License Plates

Final day for legal purchase of 1960 car licenses is next Thursday, reminds Jim King, deputy license dealer at Hamlin, as he declared this week that only about one-half of the licenses for the area had been written at mid-week.

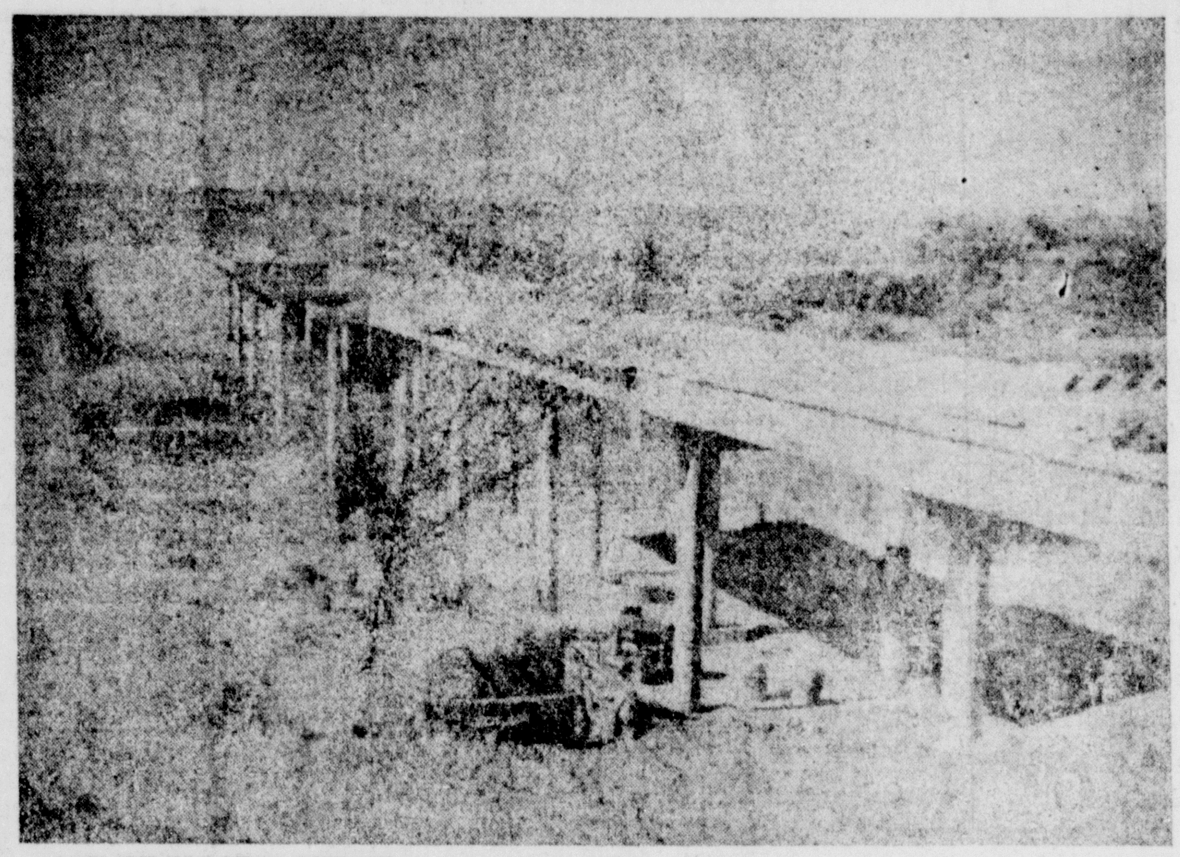
It was erroneously stated in last week's Herald that April 15 is the deadline. This deadline is for motor vehicle inspection instead of license tags.

After April 1 a 20 per cent penalty will be added to the license tag fee, and vehicles operated without new tags be subject to a fine.

## Easter Holidays Will Give Schools Recess

School students, teachers and others of the community already are making plans for the Easter holidays, which will be observed in the Hamlin schools by dismissal of classes for two days.

Classes will dismiss on Thursday, April 14, and resume on Tuesday, April 19, it is announced by Supernitendent of Schools C. F. Cook. With the usual two-day week-end, the holiday period will provide four days without classes.



ONE OF BIGGEST BRIDGES in the Central West Texas area, when completed soon, will be this big cross-over on the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River being erected on the new Hamlin-to-Old Glory highway. Located about 12 miles northeast of Hamlin, the structure is 110 feet above the water at the main span and 550 feet long, and will cost more than $160,000. Practically all the concrete work has been completed, and steel spans for the 230-foot main section are due within a few days. Steel "side-boards" are being installed by workmen now at the big structure.

## Bank Deposits Show Slight Decline from Previous Level

### Women of County Form Johnson-for-President Group

Jones County women have form a Johnson-for-President Club and have named Mrs. Robert Cross of Anson as chairman, it was announced last week-end.

Community chairmen for activities for Senator Lyndon B. Johnson named by Mrs. Cross include: Mrs. C. L. Cromwell of Stamford; Mrs. Henry Albritton of Hamlin; and Mrs. Alton Wash and Mrs. Marvin Sosebee, co-chairmen for Anson.

Activities will include the circulating of petitions urging Johnson's candidacy for the presidency of the United States, which are being placed in downtown locations for the convenience of anyone wishing to sign.

Telephone committees will be named and volunteers are requested to contact Mrs. Cross or any of the community chairmen.

Headquarters for the Johnson-for-President Club will be in the Insurance building at Anson.

ELECTED PRESIDENT of the Hamlin Junior Chamber of Commerce at the organization meeting held Friday evening at the high school cafeteria was Jerry Howard (above), personnel manager for the Celotex Corporation here.

FRUIT TREES BLOOM.

During the balmy weather that has persisted the past several days peach, plum and pear trees in the area have burst into bloom.

### Loans Show Gain Over Statement Of Previous Call

Like most of the banks of West Texas and the rest of the country, Hamlin's Farmers & Merchants National Bank showed a slight decrease in deposits in the official statement at the close of business on March 15. The total figure, however, remained above the five million dollar mark to reflect a continued healthy financial condition of the territory.

The deposits of $5,099,216.43 on March 15 compared with a total of $5,442,789.72 at the last call for December 31, 1959. Deposits for a year ago on March 12, 1959, were $5,234,813.11, and for two years ago on March 4, 1958, were $4,502,855.93.

Loans in last week's F&M statement showed a slight gain over the previous loan level. The total of $1,760,344.32 on March compared with $1,708,153.91 on December 31 and with the all-time high of $2,003,215.22 in the call of last October 6.

Besides the loans, other resources listed in the March 15 statement included: Building and furniture and fixtures, $22,500.00; municipal bonds and other securities, $741,352.18; Federal Reserve Bank stock, $6,000; U. S. government bonds, $1,883,029.85; and cash on hand and due from banks, $3,008,888.63.

The capital structure of the local bank, which has grown healthily during the past three or four years, showed further gains in the latest statement Besides the capital stock of $100,000 and surplus of $100,000, undivided profits grew to $190,802.56, and reserves were $49,012.11. The deposits make the total liabilites $5,539,085.13

## Rabbit Drives Set at Sylvester Next Week

The rabbits in the Sylvester are so plentiful, it will require two days of hunting to thin them out, declares Robert Kemp. Rabbit drives have been scheduled in the community for next Tuesday and Wednesday, March 29 and 30.

Hunters will meet at 8:00 o'clock each morning before the hunt in Sylvester. Dinner will be served to all attendants at noon at the old school house, Kemp declares.

HONORED FOR HEROIC ACT—Manuel Corral, a 42-year-old farm worker from Juarez, Mexico (far left) holds Randy McKinley, three, as he receives a Texas Baptist Foundation award from Carr P. Collins (right) at Dallas. Corral was honored for saving the tot's life after Randy fell into a 70-foot well. Corral was lowered head first into the well and pulled the boy to safety. In the center are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McKinley of Dell City.

## County's Total Voting Strength Far Ahead of 1958

Voting strength in Jones County this year is almost 40 per cent more than it was last year, according to tabulations just released by the county tax office at Anson. The county total is 4,283, including 133 exemptions. The total for 1959 was 2,455 and 20 exemptions.

Hamlin's two voting precincts show 741 poll tax receipts and 10 exemptions. Stamford recorded 1,458 voting strength including 40 exemptions, and Anson's stood at 949, including 22 exemptions.

By precincts the county voting stretngth and exemptions, as revealed by the tax office, follow:

| Precinct— | Votes | Ex. |
|---|---|---|
| 1. Northwest Anson | 278 | 7 |
| 2. Nugent | 49 | 2 |
| 3. Round Mound | 104 | 1 |
| 4. Delk | 43 | 2 |
| 5. Hodges | 59 | 3 |
| 6. Noodle | 88 | 1 |
| 7. Sinclair | 42 | 0 |
| 8. Neinda | 57 | 2 |
| 9. Tuxedo | 55 | 0 |
| 10. West Stamford | 548 | 13 |
| 11. Avoca | 120 | 2 |
| 12. Truby | 21 | 0 |
| 13. Northeast Anson | 164 | 3 |
| 14. Southeast Anson | 199 | 4 |
| 15. Southwest Anson | 286 | 8 |
| 16. Stith | 44 | 0 |
| 17. Lueders | 187 | 6 |
| 18. Hawley | 170 | 7 |
| 19. East Hamlin | 154 | 3 |
| 21. Golan | 19 | 0 |
| 22. Wilson | 19 | 0 |
| 23. Swan's Chapel | 21 | 0 |
| 24. Compere | 18 | 1 |
| 25. East Stamford | 870 | 27 |
| 26. Shilow | 18 | 1 |
| 27. Center Line | 35 | 1 |
| 28. Union | 14 | 1 |
| 29. Swenson | 22 | 2 |
| 30. West Hamlin | 577 | 13 |

ROOM FOR ONE MORE.

Then there's the story about two little calves that scampered over to a mother cow standing in the field.

"Ma," shouted one, "can Jimmy stay for lunch?"

## Who's New This Week

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Don Hymer of Austin are announcing the birth of a son on March 2. He weighed seven pounds 11 ounces, and has been named Michael Scott. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Hymer and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Moore, all of Hamlin.

Six new citizens have been recorded at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last report in The Herald. Five boys and one girl, they are:

A girl arrived for Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ray Williams on March 8. Weighing six pounds three and one-half ounces, she was named Janet Renee.

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keilman was born at 10:30 p. m. March 10. Tipping the scales at seven pounds eight ounces, he was assigned Dale Lee for a name.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Berry Hennington at 5.45 p. m. March 12. His name is Steven Glenn. He balanced the scales beam at six pounds six ounces.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Neal Williams on March 13 at 6:27 p. m. His birth weight was tabbed at six pounds 12 ounces, and he will answer to Edwin Neal.

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hearn arrived at 10:11 p. m. on March 16. Weighing a heavy nine pounds 10 ounces, he was labeled Jerry Lee.

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blant Miller was born at 4:38 p. m. March 18. He was named Clarence Dwain after having his weight checked at seven pounds nine ounces.

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# FARM FAMILY WILL REMAIN BULWARK IN PLAN

The apparent race toward corporation farming will be won by the farm family.

The big limiting factor that will handicap the trend toward very large or corporation farming is hired labor, points out Dr. George Scarseth of the American Farm Research Association.

Labor wants its pay on Saturday night, even when economic times are pressing hard; this happens often in the farming industry, which is largely biological and cannot be turned off like a steel furnace when the markets are full.

The only laborers on the farm who will tighten their belts to ride through a depression are members of the farm family. Therefore, the farm family will remain the bulwark to make farming a solid business.

This has its difficulties, in that most every phase of farming faces a new competition, not only from other producing areas, but from other farmers who are in a position to apply new technologies and business methods.

To escape the handicap of hiring much labor, the farmer will turn more and more to mechanization. The size of the farm will be large enough to make a volume fitted to a family's support.

The machines can be turned off when there is no work, but the labor needed at peak seasons is a burden when there is only busy work for it to do.

The point where labor has to be supervisd by hired help may be the breaking point limiting the size of farming operations.

Russia is trying very large farms. A lot of people are involved with low output per person. The farming plans are made by committees. Committees do not think. Only individuals think. This is the core a free enterprise must retain to give the American farmers an opportunity to move into the new areas of good land use and efficient food production at a return that stimulates improvements.

## Excuses and Alibies

There is a legend at Harvard that the late Le Baron Russell Briggs, beloved dean of the college, once asked a student why he had failed to complete an assignment.

"I wasn't feeling very well, sir," said the student.

"Mr. Smith," said the dean, "I think that in time you may find that most of the work of the world is done by people who aren't feeling very well."

Dean Briggs, a man of not too robust health, may have been feeling a little seedy himself when he uttered it; he may have dragged himself to the office that morning only because he put his responsibilities ahead of his comforts.

The dean knew that there is such a thing as a sensibly prudent attitude toward one's health.. But he also knew that the symptoms of fatigue and of laziness are practically identical; that it is hard to tell the difference between not feeling well and not feeling like doing a hard job. He knew, too, that the wise man who has an assignment to complete by Friday has done so much of it on Tuesday and Wednesday that a headache Thursday won't matter much.

## Nuggets of Thought

The ink of the scholar is more sacred than the blood of the martyr.—Moammed.

Anger blows out the lamp of the mind. In the examination of a great and important question, every one should be serene, slow-pulsed and calm.—Ingersoll.

Never argue at the dinner table, for the one who is not hungry always gets the best of the argument.—Whatley.

When a dove begins to associate with crows its feathers remain white but its heart grows black.—German Proverb.

If you wish to reach the highest, begin at the lowest.—Syrus Maxims.

There is no cosmetic for beauty like happiness.—Lady Blessnigton.

To carry care to bed is to sleep with a pack on your back.—Haliburton.

That charity which longs to publish itself ceases to be charity.—Hutton.

Tell me thy company and I will tell thee what thou art.—Cervantes.

Except a living man there is nothing more wonderful than a book! A message to us from . . . human souls we never saw. . . . And yet these arouse us, terrify us, teach us, comfort us, open their hearts to us as brothers.—Kingsley.

Let us be of good cheer, remembering that the misfortunes hardest to bear are those which never happen.—Lowell.

## Two Golden Days

There are two days of the week upon which and about which I never worry. Two care-free days kept sacredly free from fear and apprehension. One of these days si yesterday; with all its pains and aches, all its faults and blunders, it has passed forever beyond the reach of my recall. Save for the beautiful memories, sweet and tender, that linger like the perfume of roses in the heart of the day that has gone, I have nothing to do with yesterday. It was mine; it is God's.

And the other day I do not worry about is tomorrow, with all its possibilities, adversities, its burdens, its perils, its large promise. Its sun will rise in roseate splendor, or behind a mask of clouds. But it will rise. Tomorrow—it will be mine.

There is left for myself, then, but one day of the week—today. Any man can fight the battles of today. Any woman can carry the burdens of just one day.

Therefore, I think, and I do, and I journey for but one day at a time. And while faithfully and dutifully I run my course, and work my appointed task on this one day, God the Almighty takes care of yesterday and tomorrow.—Robert J. Burdette.

## Editorial of the Week

WEAKNESSES AND ERRORS

So long as the government keeps on "helping" the farmer, we quite likely will be hearing more of the things the general accounting office (watchdog of Congress) has just reported:

That some $270,000,000 is being paid out over a five-year period to retire from crop production land which hadn't been producing much in the way of crops. For instance, some "crop" land was put in the soil bank—at the expense of the taxpayers—although all that had been produced in five years was a single mowing of hay.

GAO said 23 per cent of the land now in the soil bank previously hadn't been growing crops at all—but had been "devoted to hay and pasture", had been idle or summer fallowed or had a history of crop failure." Taking it out of "production" certainly didn't help much to reduce surpluses.

But it is what must be expected when the government cooks up schemes to solve economic ills by pouring out the taxpayers' money in big bundles.

It isn't just that somebody is careless or crooked—although there is plenty of that. But the complexity—and futility—of these programs are just bound to lead to waste and squander.—The Fort Worth Press.

## RECALLING Other Years

☆ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper, The Herald.

### FORTY YEARS AGO

Scanning the old files of The Hamlin Herald, we find the following items of interest, taken from the issue of March 16 1920:

City Marshal W. H. Johnson has purchased the home of E. R. White and will make this his home.

Alfred Jameson has been seriously ill this week. He will have to undergo an operation when he is able.

Sunday Cashier B. L. Jones returned with Cashier J. W. Ezell, Joe Prowell and Tom Holman from Fort Worth where he had gone with the "boys" to take the mystic shrine. They report a good time.

Ira Gladden of Cisco was here Sunday as the guest of Effie Rector.

E. D. Fitzgerald of Dallas was tte guest of Miss Burnett Tuesday, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Scales.

A. H. McWilliams of Park Springs and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Cooper of Abilene, were here this week on business connected with Hamlin residence property.

W. A. Albritton this week was replaced as express agent at Hamlin. W. H. Herring, who comes from Stamford, is the new agent.

### THIRTY YEARS AGO

Among news items of interest in the Hamlin community three decades ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 27, 1930:

Following a fire in the Farmers & Merchants National Bank on December 22, and redecorating of the building, a reception for patrons and friends of the banking institution is scheduled next Thursday at the bank, officials this week announce.

Ruth Wilson, who is a student at the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, is spending the spring holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilson.

Hamlin Schools last week-end took top honors at the annual Interscholastic League meet held at Anson High School.

Henry Albritton, student at the University of Texas at Austin, spent a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Albritton.

Evelyn Ballew went to Sweetwater Wednesday to act as a judge in the declamation and extemporaneous speaking contests for Nolan County schools.

### TWENTY YEARS AGO

Taken from the early files of The Hamlin Herald are the following news briefs of a score of years ago, reprinted from the issue of March 23, 1940:

Fred B. Moore Jr., J. B. Terrell Jr., Clifford Reynolds and J. C. Turner were home last week-end between classes at Baylor University at Waco.

Mrs. W. R. Calhoun and Mrs. Ted Armstrong of Plasterco were called to Vernon Monday by the death of their grandmother, Mrs. M. E. McDonald.

Dr. W. H. Adams, dean at Abilene Christian College, spoke at the Parent-Teacher Association meeting last Thursday.

### TEN YEARS AGO

News briefs of interest of 10 years ago included these, taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 24, 1950:

New officers for the Hamlin Junior Chamber of Commerce were installed Tuesday evening as follows: Wesley Nail, president; C. W. Gold, vice president; Dr. M. L. Smith, secretary; and Wilson Brannon, treasurer.

Hot topping on Central Avenue is being applied this week and automobile traffic on the revamped street wil be opened Monday.

HHS Pied Piper track track placed sixth in the annual Brady Relays Saturday.

### FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Hamlin Herald dated March 25, 1955, the following news briefs are reproduced:

Hammett Atyia, 18-year-old oil field worker of Seminole, Oklahoma, was instantly killed in an accident on the Frank Steele lease west of Hamlin Monday afternoon.

W. R. Townsend, Hamlin area farmer, was honored as a charter member of the University Baptist Church in Abilene at the fiftieth anniversary celebration at the church Sunday.

Good rains have fallen in the Hamlin area in recent days, but continued cold weather has hurt small grain growth.

# Civil Defense, United Fund and City-Wide Clean-Up Programs Projected

Plans for organizing Civil Defense, United Fund and clean-up programs were topics for discussions at a meeting of the civic affairs committee of the Board of Community Development last Tuesday evening, according to Melvin Scott, committee chairman.

After hearing a report from L. J. Cunningham, hospital administrator, on the need for a civil defense program in Hamlin, the committe eacted immdiately to lay plans for organizing and scheduled a series of meetings with CD officials.

Another item heading the agenda was the problem most communities have with fund raising campaigns to give one time for all-giving the united way. The committee voted unanimously to follow through with organization plans for a united fund program.

It was pointed out that individuals could, if they wanted to, earmark their contributions for specific projects.

A meeting date with United Fund officials from Abilene was set for tomorrow (Friday) evening at 7:30 p. m. in the oil mill guest house.

Weldon Johnson, Santa Fe agent, was appointed to head a community-wide clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaign for Hamlin. The week of April 13 to 23 was designated as Hamlin Clean-Up Week, at which time the whole community would be asked to co-operate in making Hamlin sparkle.

Other business at the Tuesday meeting included recommendations for additional paving. It was pointed out that many driveways and a[illegible]s on existing thoroughfares were unpaved, and cars pull dirt and gravel onto existing paving which keeps streets extremely dirty, requiring more repair and maintenance.

It was also recommended that all new development should be required to provide paving before being granted a building permit.

The committee heard reports on the progress being made for developing a master plan for Hamlin.

Scott expressed his personal appreciation for the excellent attendance and interest shown in civic work by those present, and he stressed the importance of doing the things which need to be done to make Hamlin a better place in which to live.

**SPEEDING THINGS UP.**

"I can catch the 6:15 train," explained the hiker, "if you'll let me cut across your field."

"Go ahead," said the farmer, "but you'll catch the 5:45 if my bull spots you."

# REA Has Brought Electric Service to Many in 25 Years

This year rural people everywhere are celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of the rural electrification progarm, a social and economic "miracle" that has brought electric light and power to more than 16,000,000 Americans who were almost literally living i nthe dark only a quarter century aga, declares Johnny Ammons, manager of Midwest Electric Cooperative with headquarters at Roby, which serves much of the Hamlin territory.

On May 11, 1935, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed the excutive order that created the Rural Electrification Administration. It seems laughable now, with $3,500,000,000 having been invested to bring electricity to rural people, that Roosevelt's original appropriation was for only $75,000.

But, the nation's farms needed power, and the nation's workers desperately needed work. So rural electrification began as an arm of the Works Progress Administration in that depression year.

In 1936, Congress passed the rural electrification act, setting up a long term program, now known as REA, which made it possible for groups of rural people to work together to serve themselves with electricity.

Only three per cent of American farms were electrified by 1925, 10 per cent by 1931, and barely 11 per cent had central station electricity when REA came to life in 1935. Today about 96 per cent of American farms have electricity, largely through efforts of the REA system.

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## Elementary Students See Rattler and Hear About Snake Hunts

Students of the fourth and fifth grade of Hamlin Elementary School had the privilege of hearing about the Sweetwater Rattlesnake Round-Up Tuesday when Mrs. Jack Russell showed films and a live 'rattler" to the classes. She explained how the snakes are caught and how she caught a nine-pound rattler.

Another outstanding event in the science and health classes was a lecture given recently by Mrs. Tim Jones, a fourth grade teacher, on the respiratory, circulatory and digestive organs of the body. She used a model of the body and displayed each organ as she gave her talk.

The pupils have done some good work in science this year, reports their teacher, and had much of their work on display at the open house of the schools recently.

The dying wife gasped to her husband, "I must confess I haven't been true to you."

"I know," he answered, "that's why I poisoned you."

For COLDS take 666

# Crippled Child for Lions Club Camp Yet to Be Named

A child or youth from the Hamlin community is yet to be named to this summer's stay at the Texas Lions Club Crippled Childrens Camp, it was announced at the Tuesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Lions Club. Investigation is being made of candidates for the camp, according to club officials. The camp, near Kerrville, is operated by Lions Clubs of the state for youngsters with crippling disabilities.

Hamlin Lions Club has been among top ranking clubs of the District 2E-1 in attendance in recen tweeks, it was announced by President Donley Williams.

Eight members of the local club indicated Tuesday that they will attend the zone meeting of Lions next Tuesday evening at Stamford. Zone Chairman Tom Ward of Albany says District Governor Ben Lawson and other district and state Lions dignitaries are scheduled to attend the session at the Stamford cafeteria, on the east side of the square.

Recommendations for officers for the ensuing club year beginning July 1 will be made at next Tuesday's meeting according to President Williams.

**AS THE TWIG IS BENT.**

"Pa," chirped little Ted, "what does a man's better half mean?"

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# The Herald's Page for Women

## Fifty-Two Study Club Wins 11 Awards At District Federation Convention

Hamlin's Fifty-Two Study Club was given considerable recognitions at the recent annual convention of the Seventh District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, held at Fort Worth, it was reported when members of the group met at the Harden Memorial Library for the regular meeting.

A play, "The Two-Way Bridge" by Mary A. Garrett of the Graffort Club of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, was presented by club members, Mmes. J. A. Howard, Charles Newland, L. A. Joiner and Dean Witt.

Awards which the Fifty-Two Study Club won on club reports at the district convention were presented. They were awarded five first places, one second place, four third places and 100 per cent subscription to the Texas Club Woman magazine.

The awards were: Overall club report, third place ; community affairs report, first; community improvement, third; health and welfare overall report, first; Texas heritage overall report, third; litterature and drama, third; Americanism overall report, first; press and publicity (communications), first; outstanding club programs, second; public affairs (status of women), first; 100 per cent to Texas Club Woman.

The hostesses, Mmes. J. E. McCoy and F. E. Bayouth, served coffee and cookies to members at the close of the meeting.

## McCaulley Women To Hear Book Review

McCaulley Home Demonstration Club will sponsor a book review by Mrs. Brad Rowland of Hamlin in the McCaulley school homemaking cottage tomorrow (Friday) at 2.30 p. m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Members of the club held a meeting Wednesday of last week for a business session. Those attending were Mmes. B. M. Robinson, Jerry Maberry, Glenn Henderson, Willie Fancher, Lon Andress, Ted Abbott, Ray Maberry, Jim Lawlis and Fred Kemp.


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## Earl Crows' Children Home Sunday for First Time in Several Years

The four children and nine grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crow of Hamlin were together for the first time in several years when they met at the Crow home Sunday.

Those present for the happy get-together were Master Sergeant and Mrs. Howard Crow, Howard Jr. and Linda of Westover Air Force Base, Masachusetts; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crow, Karen and David of Texas City; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Massey and Tommy of Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gray of Graham; and Mrs. Parnell Anderson, Diane, Jo Ellen and Joyce of Stamford.

Also visiting during the day were Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crow and Mrs. Marjory Griffin of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Crow of Hamlin, Mrs. Charlie Ward, Dale and Maribeth of Rotan.


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## Beta Theta Members And Husbands Enjoy Game Party Saturday

Members of the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi and their husbands enjoyed a desert bridge and forty-two party Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Murrell.

Winners of bridge games were Mrs. C. W. Griggs and Dr. E. D. Perrin and of the forty-two games Mrs. W. A. Hawkins and Orville D. Roland.

The St. Patrick's Day theme was carried out in table decorations.

Assisting Mrs. Murrell with the entertaining were Mrs. Wilson Brannon and Mrs. W. A. Hawkins.

Refreshments of home-made pie and coffee were served to the following attendants: Messrs. and Mmes. W. A. Hawkins, Orville D. Roland, Bill Foster, Dwayne Stalcup, Wilson Brannon, D. C. Andrews, E. D. Perrin, Billy Joe Wilson, Ed Boaz, Neil Laminack and Guy Weaver, and special guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. Weldon Griggs.

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## Planning Ahead to Use Plentiful Foods Can Mean Economy

A bit of planning ahead makes a big difference in meal preparation just as it does in other efforts.

And a wise menu planner knows the food items that are in abundant supply and available for careful selecton nad economy. That's one reason the U. S. Department of Agriculture prepares a monthly list of plentiful foods, say foods specialists of the Texas Agricultural Extension Servico ef College station.

What will be plentiful in April?

Cranberry products head the list. Supplies of colorful cranberry sauce and juice are large enough to encourage wide use of this food all month, according to figures of USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service.

That's a happy selection, because cranberries go so well with all of the plentiful meats—pork, including ham for Easter, broilers and fryers and shrimp. Other high protein plentiful foods are eggs, milk and dairy products and peanuts and peanut butter.

Canned blackberries, especially those from Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma, also are plentiful in the Southwest. Other fruits in good supply include canned freestone peaches, raisins and fresh dates.

These are the foods that pave the way for hearty springtime eating in the weeks ahead. The supply of each is expected to exceed normal demand.

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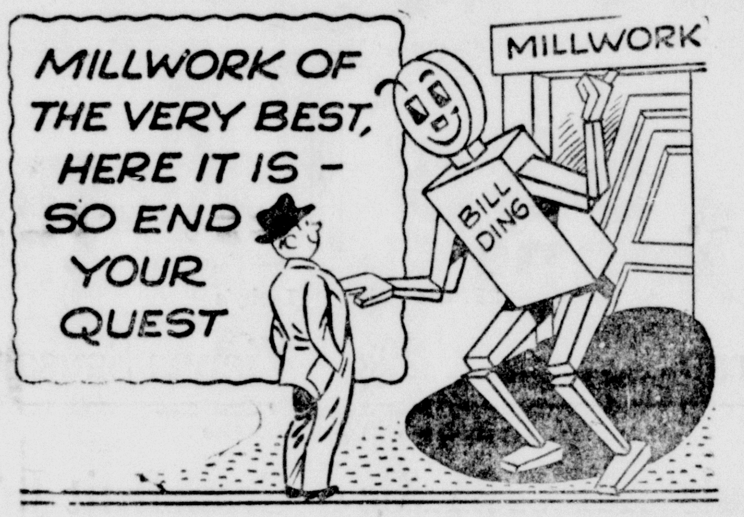


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## Hamlin FFA Girls and Ronnie Parker Participate in Stephenville Area Meet

Sue Greenway of Stephenville was installed as president of Area IV, Future Homemakers of America, at the group's anual meeting Saturday at Tarleton State College in Stephenville. Several girls from Hamlin High School were among the more than 1,100 girls from 100 chapters over a 23-county area who attended.

Principal speakers were Ronnie Parker of Hamlin and Mrs. Ruth Ann King of Abilene. Discussing the theme of the meeting, "Mirror, Mirror, on the Wall," Ronnie emphasized development of mental and spiritual potentialities. Mrs. King told the Future Homemakers to develop their physical and inner abilities.

Honorary memberships were awarded to Mrs. Joe Stephens of Hamlin, Jones County school nurse; Mrs. Adelle Forrest, a Woodson homemaker; and W. S. Thomas, superintendent of Holliday schools. These memberships are awarded to adults who have gone beyond the call of duty to help FHA.

Ann Richey of Hamlin, state secretary of FHA, introduced Ronnie Parker and also gave a report on the national meeting held in Chicago last year.

Those attending from Hamlin were Ann Richey, Janice Richardson, Nina Jean, Mrs. Jack Richey, Mrs. Joe Stephens, Aileen Broyles, Betty Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wayne Carter and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Simmons.

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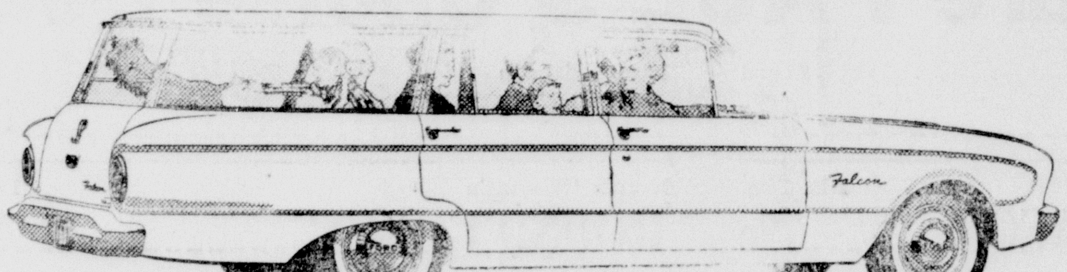

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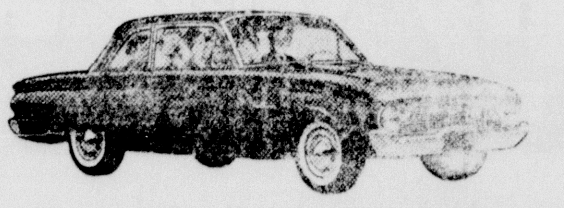

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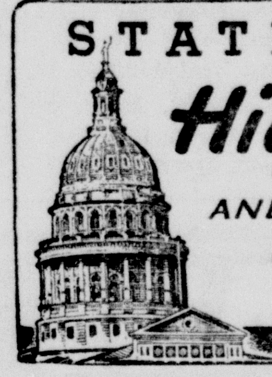

by Vern Sanford

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Austin.—Texas Democrats have marked June 14 on their calendars. Austinites have circled it in red.

June 14 is the day some 5,000 Texas Democrats will converge on the capital city for their state convention.

It's expected to be many big days rolled into one.

It will be the first time in recent memory that the huge colorful gathering has come to Austin. A large new city auditorium and convention center makes it possible.

It's the day that comes only once every four years when Texans name delegates to a national presidential nominating convention.

But most excitement centers on the fact that Texas Democrats will be assuring what is usually a once-in-a-lifetime role—that of sponsoring a major contender for the presidential nomination.

Work is underway in every part of the state to insure that the delegates to Austin will give rousing support to Senator Lyndon B. Johnson for favorite son nominee and chairman of the Texas delegation to Los Angeles.

Senator Johnson's chances of becoming president were re-emphasized by Governor Price Daniel and cheered by the state Democratic executive committee when the party leaders met to plan the June convention.

Committee members selected Dallas for the second state Democratic convention on September 20. Their meeting also was made an occasion for honoring Mrs. Hilda Weinert of Seguin for a quarter century of loyal service to the Texas Democratic party.

**Court Rejects Vote Hassle.**—The Texas Suprme Court, refused to consider a direct appeal from the City of Austin that it order a complete recount of votes in a hotly contested urban renewal election.

Issue has had Austinites in a stew for months. It was originally announced after the election in December that urban renewal had carried by a 52-vote margin. Eight property owners contested the election results on grounds that ballots were cast by persons not qualified to vote.

After nine of 18 contested boxes had been opened, District Judge James K. Evetts of Belton declared the election void. He said there were so many disqualified voters and improperly marked ballots that it was impossible to determine the election outcome.

Austin's city attorney petitioned the Suprme Court for a writ of mandamus to compel Judge Evetts to open and examine all the ballot boxes. He contended the qualified voters had a right to have their votes counted.

Having lost out on a direct plea to the Supreme Court, City Attorney Dorn Eskew said he would go through the usual appeal route, going first to the Third Court of Civil Appeals.

**College Home Delayed.**—Governor Daniel's office and the Legislative Budget Board are to make a "full review" bfore plans proceed to build an $87,000 home for the president of Sam Houston State College.

A number of legislators hit the ceiling last sessio over similarly costly homes built for presidents of Southwest Texas State College and Stephen F. Austin State College. Restrictions were written into the current appropriations bill aimed at preventing further expenditures on such a scale.

Representative James M. Cotten, member of the House committee on saving taxes wrote the governor to protest what he called a "tremendous waste."

Governor Daniel said he had been assured by the chairman of the board of regents for state teachers' colleges that no action would be taken until everyone interested had had his say. He pointed out, however, the home was to be built from constitutionally allocated funds to which the legislative appropriation restrictions "have been held not to apply."

**More Judges Suggested.**—Larger metropolitan areas such as Houston, Dallas and San Antonio may soon need larger Courts of Civil Appeals. This observation was made by Associate Justice James R. Norvell of the Texas Supreme Court and others in astudy made for the Texas Civil Judicial Council.

Judge Norvell suggested that five judges, rather than three, may be needed soon for the courts in the city areas.

Supreme Court, the study also noted, may also soon need some further restrictions on cases it will handle to prevent too heavy dockets. Civil Appeals Courts were created to keep everything from going to the Supreme Court, but the high court is flooded with appeals from these courts.

Judge Norvell suggested limiting the Supreme Court to constitutional issues and cases where there is a conflict in judicial decisions.

**Oil Allowable Cut.**—Texas Railroad Commission cut the state's oil production for April after testimony that both crude oil and gasoline were in over-supply.

April allowable will be 2,814,252 barrels a day, a cut of 123,029 barrels a day from March. Number of producing days was cut from 10 to nine.

Oil men told the commission that other states, such as Louisiana and Mississippi, had not cut back production to offset the over-supply as Texas has. This state, said one Texas executive bitterly, is taking the "backlash" of the situation.

**Tighter Driving Law.**—Legislation that would crack down on the driver who does not even have a driver's license has been proposed for the next session.

Representative Ben Lewis of Dallas said that under present law a person who drives without having a license can only be hauled before a city court and fined about $10.

By contrast, he said, a license holder who gets three tickets and has his license suspended can, if he drives during the suspension, be put in jail and fined as much as $500.

Lewis said he would propose a series of stiffer penalties for the people who cannot pass drvier tests but drive anyway.

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## Six from Hamlin at Abilene CC Banquet

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murrell, Mr. and Mrs. Orville D. Roland and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Jones were among Hamlin people attending the annual Abilene Chamber of Commerce banquet Tuesday evening in Rose Field House at Hardin-Simmons University.

Principal speaker for the evening was Mayor H. Roe Bartle of Kansas City, Missouri.

## Three from Hamlin Pledged at McMurry

Three Hamlin young men and a former resident were included among 86 new pledges for the 1960 spring semester in the four men's social clubs at McMurry College in Abilene.

The pledges, as announced over the week-end, included: John Richey, Don Shivers and Teddie Westmoreland and Lance Carmichael of Abilene, former Hamlin High School graduate. The four were pledged to IHR Club. All the young men are freshmen at McMurry.

Overweight often is just desserts.

## Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Decline

Freight carloadings for the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending March 12, 1960, were 22,901 compared with 24,953 compared with 284,953 for the same week a year ago, reflecting a decided decline. Cars received from connections totaled 11,939 compared with 12,469 for the same week a year ago.

Total cars moved were 34,840 compared with 37,422 for the same week a year ago. Santa Fe handled a total of 33,383 cars in the preceding week this year.

OUR OPINION, TOO.

"Dad, I read about a man who was a financial genius. What does that mean?"

"It means that he could earn money faster than his family could spend it."

## Changeof-Name Sale On at Joe Hudspeth's

Celebrating the recent change i nthe name of the firm from H. & M. Tire and Appliance Store to Joe Hudspeth's, a special sale is underway at the same old stand of the Goodyear and GE store on South Central Avenue at Southeast First Street, according to Joe Hudspeth, owner.

The month-long sell-abration wli lbe clmaxed with giving away of a John Deere farm trailer and GE automatic dish washer on Saturday, April 16, Hudspeth announces.


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SPRING Savings SALE

Bargains For Spring!

Green Beans Libby Cut — Rich in garden flavor. 2 No. 303 Cans 35¢

Sauerkraut Town House — For an easy economical meal. 2 No. 303 Cans 29¢

Miracle Whip Kraft Salad Dressing. Quart Jar 51¢

Chunk Tuna Chicken of the Sea — Green label. 2 6½-Oz. Cans 49¢

Lux Toilet Soap Assorted pastel colors. 3 Reg. Bars 29¢

Praise Deodorant Bar Pink with cold cream. 2 Bath Bars 39¢

Lux Soap Flakes For all fine washables. Large Box 32¢

Rinso Blue Detergent Blues as it washes. Large Box 32¢

Silver Dust Detergent For whiter, brighter washes. Large Box 33¢

Breeze Detergent Perfect for every thing. Large Box 33¢

All Detergent For controlled suds. 10-Lb. Box $2.45

Lux Liquid Detergent For dishes... fast... efficient. 12-Oz. Can 37¢

Liquid Wisk Blue Detergent — Mild to fabrics. 16-Oz. Can 41¢

Spiced PEACHES Hemet Whole— A family treat anytime of day. 8 to 11 count. No. 2½ Can 19¢

Evergreen BROOM Dependable quality at a low price. 4-Tie Broom 79¢

1 LB. LOAF 19¢ Bakery Special of the Week. Regular 25c value.

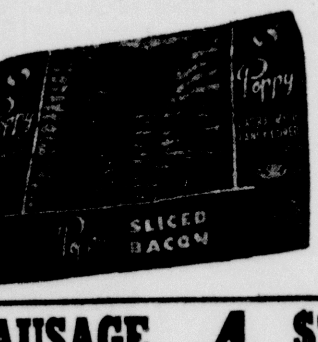
Mrs. Wright's Old World BLACK BREAD —robust flavor for soups and cheeses!

2¢ OFF Pastry Special! Fruit Snails Cartsy — Regular 25c Value. 7-Oz. Pkg. 23¢

Sandwich Bread Skylark — Sliced white. 1½-Lb. Loaf 26¢

100% Butter Bread Skylark — New at Safeway. 1-Lb. Loaf 23¢

Hot Cross Buns Cartsy — 8 count. 12-Oz. Pkg. 25¢



Safeway Meats

Sliced Bacon Poppy. A real breakfast treat. Try this Safeway Guaranteed product. 1-Lb. Pkg. 45¢

SAUSAGE Pork — Bulk pack. 4 Lbs. $1.00

Special for Your Freezer! HALF HOG Economical cut and freezer wrapped. Lb. 35¢

Pork Chops Center cut — Delicious dinner treat. Lb. 59¢

Pork Roast Loin or Rib. Lb. 45¢

Pork Loin Half or Whole. Lb. 47¢

Pork Spareribs Fresh, Small and lean. Lb. 39¢

Surf Detergent Premium Pack — The all-purpose detergent. Large Box 35¢

Handy Andy Cleaner Liquid — All purpose. 16-Oz. Bottle 39¢

Applesauce Cookies Sunshine — Lunch box treat. 1-Lb. Bag 43¢

Deviled Ham Underwood — For quick meals or for snacks. 4½-Oz. Can 35¢

La Choy Chop Suey Meatless. No. 303 Can 35¢

Puffin Biscuits Sweetmilk or Buttermilk. 3 8-Oz. Cans 29¢

Biscuits Betty Crocker, Sweetmilk or Buttermilk. 3 8-Oz. Cans 29¢

Starkist Tuna Chunk Style — Makes delicious salads or casseroles. 6½-Oz. Can 31¢

Jell Well Dessert Gelatin. 4 3-Oz. Pkgs. 25¢

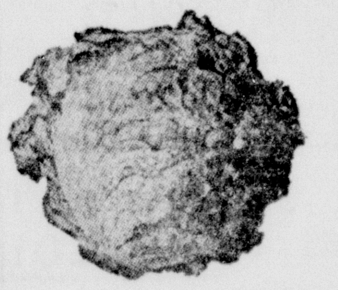
Hi-C Orange Drink Children love it. 46-Oz. Can 29¢

Highway Catsup Delicious on french fries. 2 14-Oz. Bottles 29¢

Soda Crackers Melrose — Just a whisper, crisper. 1-Lb. Pkg. 19¢

Tomato Soup Campbell — Once a day — everyday soup. 3 No. 1 Cans 33¢

Sno-White Salt Plain or Iodized. 2 26-Oz. Boxes 15¢



Safeway Produce

Head Lettuce Solid, firm and hefty heads. Most popular salad vegetable. Head 10¢

Snowy-White Cauliflower Tender texture. Nutritious and delicious. Each 25¢

Oranges California's finest Sunkist Navel. 2 Lbs. 29¢

Green Onions So economical. Wonderful for salads. Bunch 6¢

Fresh Radishes Add zing to your salads. 6-Oz. Cello Bag 5¢

Iced Tea Blend Canterbury — So refreshing. ¼-Lb. Pkg. 59¢

Black Pepper Trader Horn Pure Ground. 4-Oz. Can 19¢

Spring Sale!

Edwards Coffee All Grinds. (2-Lb. Can... $1.17) 1-Lb. Can 59¢

Vienna Sausage Libby — The leaner meats go into Libby. 2 No. ½ Cans 39¢

Pure Lard 3-Lb. 37¢

Pancake Mix 15¢

Orange & Grapefruit Juice 3 6-Oz. Cans 49¢

Tangerine Juice Sel-Ah Frozen. 3 6-Oz. Cans 49¢

Manor House Pies Frozen chicken, turkey and beef. 2 8-Oz. Pies 45¢

Party Pride Ice Cream Lucerne — Assorted flavors. ½-Gal. Ctn. 69¢

Ocean Perch FILLETS Captain's Choice Frozen — Tender, juicy and boneless. 1-Lb. Pkg. 39¢

SAFEWAY

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# County TB Unit to Meet Monday at Hamlin for Session

Election of officers and directors for the ensuing year will be the principal order of business at the annual meeting of the Jones County Tuberculosis Association next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Pied Piper Drive-In in Hamlin, announces Irene Stewart of Stamford, president of the organization.

The session will be a dinner meeting and is open to the entire membership of the association, members of the association being everyone who contributed to the Christmas seal sale campaign.

On the agenda will be the election of board members to fill the vacancies which expire soon, and the election of a new officers slate.

The executive secretary also will make the annual report, Miss Stewart said. Seven members of the board end their terms this season.

Current officers, besides Miss Stewart, are Mrs. Ona L. High and Dr. Tom A. Bunkley, both of Stamford, first and second vice presidents, respectively; Olive McDougle and Mrs. Addie Mae Kennedy, secretary and treasurer, respectively; and Mrs W. L. Hunters Jr. of Hamlin, seal sale chairman.

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# Attendance at City Sunday Schools Goes Over 1300 Mark Again

Total Sunday School attendance at the 12 reporting churches of Hamlin went over 1,300 again Sunday. The 1,341 total was 69 more than the previous week and was 84 more than the year ago total.

Attendance, by churches, for March 20, March 13 and a year ago follows:

| Churches— | Mar. 20 | Mar. 13 | Year Ago |
|---|---|---|---|
| Church of Christ | 151 | 136 | 162 |
| Ch. of Nazarene | 67 | 88 | 86 |
| Foursquare Gospel | 49 | 55 | 62 |
| First Baptist | 475 | 426 | 357 |
| No. Cen. Baptist | 105 | 101 | 79 |
| Sunset Baptist | 42 | 54 | 62 |
| Faith Methodist | 69 | 51 | 61 |
| Calvary Baptist | 42 | 39 | 33 |
| Assembly of God | 41 | 41 | 51 |
| Oak Gr. Col. Baptist | 48 | 39 | 54 |
| First Methodist | 215 | 211 | 194 |
| Mexican Baptist | 37 | 37 | 57 |
| Totals | 1341 | 1272 | 1257 |

# Lulan Vaughan Gets Broken Arm in Auto Collision in Abilene

Lulan Vaughan, retired Hamlin scholo teacher of 1138 West Lake Drive, who last Saturday afternoon sustained a brokne arm in a traffic accident in Abilene, was doing nicely at mid-week.

The Hamlin woman sustained the broken arm and was hospitalized as the result of a two-car accident at the interection of North Fifth and Hickory Streets shortly after noon Saturday.

She was in a car driven by Mrs. Lucretia Self Stell, also a Hamlin school teacher for many years, traveling north on Hickory Street when it was in collision with a car drive nby Glenda Taylor, 15, going east on North Fifth Street.

According to investigating Patrolman Bill Pointer, damage to the Taylor auto, a 1953 Plymouth, was approximately $225, and to the Stell auto, a 1956 Chevrolet, some $600.

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# Jerry Howard to Head New Jaycee Group for Hamlin

Young men of Hamlin community organized a Junior Chamber of Commerce Friday evening in a meeting at the high school cafeteria, and elected Jerry Howard as their first president.

Howard is personnel manager for the Celotex Corporation plant at Hamlin. Joe Ford was named secretary-treasurer, and other officers will be elected at a meeting this (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock at the high school cafeteria.

Formation of the Hamlin Jaycees was the result of organizational efforts by the Stamford Jaycees that have been underway for several weeks.

A membership drive will be conducted following the Thursday meeting, Howard said.

Lewis Timberlake of Stamford, vice president of Region 5 of the Jaycees, was moderator of the session last Friday evening. He was assisted by Keith Wheatley and Sammy Davy, both of Stamford.

Present were representatives from Jaycee organizations at Anson, Stamford, Snyder and Abilene.

# Mrs. Amanda Pike Recognized for Texas Tech Achievements

Mrs. Amanda Pike, senior accounting student at Texas Technological College at Lubbock, was recognized in the all-college recognition service Sunday, March 20, according to a release from the college. She was recognized for two outstanding achievements, for excellence in scholarship and for holding the Texas Pacific Cool & Oil Company scholarship.

Mrs. Pike, the former Amanda Freeman, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Freeman of Hamlin. Freeman is a long time employee of T-P.

Mrs. Pike is a 1955 honor graduate of Hamlin High School, and has a 2½-year-old daughter. She is married to Thomas Pike, a Rule High School graduate, who will receive May 28 a degree in electrical engineering at Texas Tech.

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OF HAMLIN, TEXAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 15, 1960

RESOURCES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Lonas | | $1,760,344.32 |
| Building and Furniture and Fixtures | | 22,500.00 |
| Municipal Bonds and Other Securities | | 741,352.18 |
| Federal Reserve Bank Stock | | 6,000.00 |
| QUICK ASSETS | | |
| U. S. Govt. Bonds | $1,883,029.85 | |
| Cash on Hand and Due from Banks | 1,125,858.78 | |
| | | 3,008,888.63 |
| Total Resources | | $5,539,085.13 |

LIABILITIES

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital Stock | $ 100,000.00 |
| Surplus | 100,000.00 |
| Undivided Profits | 190,862.56 |
| Reserves | 49,012.14 |
| DEPOSITS | 5,099,210.43 |
| Total Liabilities | $5,539,085.13 |

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# HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last report in The Herald have included: Mrs. Alfredo Romera, ob., March 2; Mrs. J. P. Cornelius, medical, March 5; Mrs. L. E. Hines, medical, March 5; Mrs. H. H. Ray, medical, March 5; Roy Allen of Aspermont, medical, March 6; L. M. Huddleston, medical, March 6; George Raney, medical, March 6; Thomas Welch, medical, March 6; Mrs. Clay Feagan of Roby, medical March 4; Fred Weeks of Roby, medical, February 27; D. W. Cowan, medical, March 7; Louise Proctor, medical, March 7; Mrs. R. F. Simpkins, medical, March 7; Mrs. James Woods Jr., medical, March 7; Mrs. Louis Baker of Post, medical, March 7; Mrs. T. A Jones, medical, March 7; Mrs. Everett Gibson, surgical, March 7; R. J. Waddle, medical, March 7; Mrs. Raymond Morales, medical, March 8; Mrs. R. R. Christian, medical, March 8; J. P. Cornelius, medical, March 8; Mrs. Joe Dean, medical, March 8; Mrs. Herman Williams of Anson, ob., March 8; S. C. Ferguson Sr., surgical, March 9; Mrs. Seth Adams, medical, March 10; Mrs. Doris Bedford, medical, March 10; Mrs. Linnie Cooper, medical, March 10; Mrs. Richard Hawkins of Aspermont, medical, March 10; Mrs. Robert Keilman of Aspermont, medical, March 9; Mrs. Charles Slack, medical, March 9; Jake Hall of Swenson, medical, March 4; Mrs. C. C. Prater, medical, March 11; Mrs. A. M. Redding of Childress, medical, March 11; Mrs. W. E. Rogers, medical, March 11; Mrs. R. L. Shields, surgical, March 11; Mrs. Earl Smith, surgical, March 11; Dollye Gilbert, medical, March 12; Mrs. Miller Harmon, medical, March 12; Mrs. David Hennington of Stamford, ob., March 12; Mrs. Neal Williams, ob., March 12; Alice Wills, surgical, March 12; Mrs. Will Gruben of McCaulley, medical, March 14; M. P. Lott of Aspermont, medical, March 14; D. J. Turner, medical, March 14; Joyce Putman, medical, March 15; Roy Hill of Swenson, medical, March 15; Mrs. Joe Clark of Sylvester, surgical, March 15; J. G. Smart, medical, March 15; Mrs. J. G. Smart, medical, March 15; Larry Williams, surgical, March 15; Bess Godwin of Midland, medical, March 16; Mrs. C. C. Renfro, medical, March 16; Mrs. D. R. Hearn, ob., March 16; Mrs. W. B. Brown of Sylvester, medical, March 16; Anna Mae Childress, medical, March 17; Mrs. Jake Hall of Swenson, medical, March 17; Mrs. J. D. Hamilton, surgical, March 17; J. J. Handley, medical, March 17; Mrs. C. C. Bailey, medical, March 17; Mrs. J. T. Johnson, medical, March 18; Mrs. Clarence Miller, ob., March 18; A. G. Smith of McCaulley, medical, March 18.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. Clay Feagan of Roby, March 7; Mrs. Jessie Cerbantes of McCaulley, March 1; V. L. Cross of Aspermont, March 11; Brad Rowland Sr., March 8; W. H. Cranford, March 7; Mrs. E. O. Ford of Abilene, March 7; Mrs. Lionel Gonzales, March 6; Mrs. R. D. Hearn, March 4; Ben Maberry, March 14; Mrs. Clifford Stuart, March 9; Mrs. Joe Bonds, March 12; J. D. Gholson of Aspermont, March 7; Ben Parker, March 11; Mrs. J. P. Cornelius, March 13; Mrs. L. E. Hines, March 17; Mrs. H. H. Ray, March 11; Roy Allen of Aspermont, March 7; L. M. Huddleston, March 7; George Raney, March 8; Thomas Welch, March 8; Fred Weeks of Roby, March 7; D. E. Cowan, March 10; Louise Proctor, March 15; Mrs. James Woods Jr., March 11; Mrs. Louise Baker of Post, March 11; Mrs. T. A. Jones, March 13; Mrs. Everett Gibson, March 8; R. J. Waddle, March 9; Mrs. Raymond Morales, March 11; Mrs. R. R. Christian, March 11; J. P. Cornelius, March 15; Mrs. Joe Dean, March 16; Mrs. Herman Williams of Anson, March 9; Mrs. Doris Bedford, March 17; Mrs. Richard Hawkins of Aspermont, March 13; Mrs. Robert Keilman of Aspermont, March 13; Mrs. Charles Slack, March 11; Jake Hall of Swenson, March 11; Mrs. C. C. Prater, March 19; Mrs. A. M. Redding of Childress, March 14; Mrs. W. E. Rogers, March 16; Mrs. R. L. Shields, March 13; Mrs. Earl Smith, March 18; Mrs. Miller Harmon, March 15; Dollye Gilbert, March 19; Mrs. David Hennington of Stamford, March 15; Mrs. Neal Williams, March 15; Joyce Putman, March 16; J. G. Smart, March 19; Roy Hill of Swenson, March 16

# Political Office Announcements

The Hamlin Herald is authorized to announce the following as canddiates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on Saturday, May 7:

**For Congress, 17th District.**
ROY SKAGGS of Abilene
R. M. (BOB) WAGSTAFF
OMAR BURLESON

**For State Representative, 85th Representative District:**
KEITH C. WHEATLEY
LEON THURMAN

**For Tax Assessor-Collector:**
L. B. McNEIL
LARRY L. HOLMES
A. J. FRENCH

**For Sheriff of Jones County:**
DAVE REVES (reelection)
BILL LONGLEY

**For Commissioner, Precinct 1:**
JOHNIE AGNEW
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## • FOR RENT

FOR RENT — Furnished light housekeeping and bachelor apartments.—Max Touchon, telephone 302-J. 21-tfc

FOR RENT—Unfurnished duplex with garage on paved street.—Reynolds Drug. 22-3c

FOR RENT — Furnished four-room apartment.—Mrs. Sue Hill, 152 Southwest Second Street, phone 159-W. 22-tfc

HOUSE FOR RENT at 447 Northwest Second Street.—H. D. Glenn, call 101-W2. 1p

The Herald has carbon paper

FOR RENT—Three-room house. —Phone 1169. 1p

FOR RENT — Furnished apartment; private bath;—Will Andress, 30 Northwest Avenue C, phone 531-W. 22-tfc

## • REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE — Duplex with three rooms and bath to the side; three room house furnished; large house furnished; large house with three apartments, all private baths and furnished. Will accept one-third down and notes on balance. See B. C. May, 320 Southwest Avenue C, phone 231. 16-tfc

See The Herald for paper clips

FOR SALE—Three-bedroom home on corner lot; 612 Northwest Avenue E; two blacks north of Primary School; has concrete cellar; price $5,000; $1,500 down, payments $32 per month.—John C. Hill. 1p

FOR SALE—My place at Abilene, one block and half from Hardin-Smmons at 1618 Vogel Street.—Rev. E. L. Redden. 22-2p

Tea napkins at The Herald.

## • WANTED

WANTED—Insurance agent; man or woman; no experience necessary; salary and commission. See Bill Foster, Hamlin Funeral Home, phone 71. 22-tfc

## • FOR SALE

RANGE CUBES, calf creep pellets, fattener pellets, hog pellets and poultry feeds, fresh from the mill.—Pied Piper Feed Mills, telephone 68, Hamlin, Texas. 5-tfc

FOR SALE—Have 11 50-gallon barrels for $2 each; excellent for trash barrels. — J. W. Stapler, 1107 South Central, phone 506, Hamlin. 21-3c

FOR SALE—AKC registered German Shepherd police dog puppies; Champange lines of Longworth, Kennels Michigan; coloring, black and silver. Call or write Mrs. H. H. Dunklin, Box 494, Avoca, Texas, phone PR 3-3861, Stamford. 20-4c

LINOLEUM by the yard available in six different patterns now at White Auto Store. 47-tfc

FOR SALE—Steps and other material at old city jail east of Bluebonnet Cafe. See S. D. Redus at White Plaza Hotel. 21-2p

## • LOST and FOUND

LOST — Ladies' old gold wrist watch with two sets; lost March 18 between bank and Howard City Drug.—Mrs. J. H. Lawlis, Sylvester, Route 1 1p

WANT-ADS are Seen!

## • EMPLOYMENT

GOOD NEWS for older man. Real opportunity for a profitable Rawleigh business in North Jones County. See Mrs. Mary Williams, Route 1, Merkel, or write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXC-791,556, Memphis, Tennessee. 20-3p

$400 MONTHLY in Spare Time—Refilling and collecting money from new type high quality coin operated dispensers in this area; no selling. To qualify you must have car, references, $600 to $1,900 cash. Seven to 12 hours weekly can net up to $400 monthly; more full time. For persoal interview write P. O. Box 1055, Boise, Idaho. Include phone number. 1p

## • MISCELLANEOUS

MATTRESSES—New or renovated; box springs; foam rubber; choice of firmness or color; made and guaranteed by Western Mattress Company, San Angelo. Call Pemberton Furniture, Hamlin, phone 552. 36-tfc

COMMERCIAL and lawn fertilizers, weed killers, bug killers, peat moss, garden seeds and garden supplies.—Pied Piper Feed Mills, East Lake Drive, phone 168. 26-tfc

INCOME TAX RETURNS made at my residence any time, day or night.—Fred Carpenter, 545 North Central Avenue phone 313-w. 12-tfc

BABY CHICKS—We have baby chicks available each Wednesday, beginning March 2. Also will brood your pullets four weeks at minimum charge. Important to order at least three weeks in advance of date wanted.—Hillcrest Hatchery, phone 102-J4, Hamlin. 17-tfc

WATKINS Geriatric Vitamins will give wonderful results from rheumatism and arthritis. For all of Watkins Products see Jesse White, 406 East Hamilton, Stamford, Texas. 16-tfc

REPAIR WORK on washing machines and small electrical appliances.—John O'Neal, 38 Southwest Fifth Street. 20-tfc

ONE of the finer things of life—Blue Lustre carpet and upholstery cleaner. Electric shampoo machine for rent.—R. Y. Barrow Furniture Company. 1c

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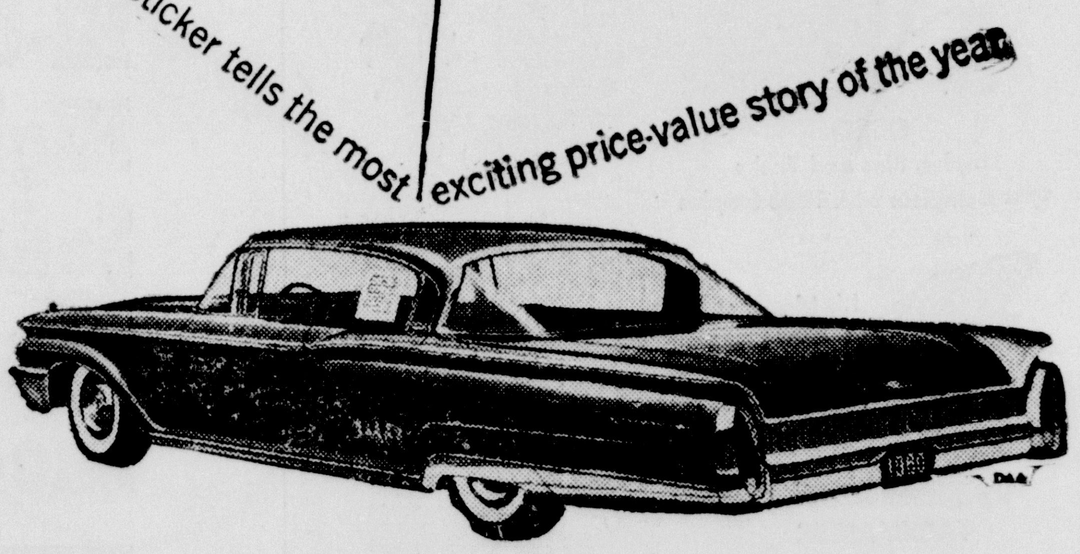
This price sticker tells the most exciting price-value story of the year.



Mercury Monterey now priced $31 under Ford Galaxie, $66 under Chevrolet Impala, $63 under Plymouth Fury.* And it's the best-built car around, bar none. NEW CAR—NEW LOW PRICE '60 MERCURY
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# Area Oil Royalty Holders' Hopes for More Pay Bashed

Land owners and royalty holders of the Hamlin territory, hoping for months for improved oil production and increased royalty checks, again were disappointed when the April allowables were announced last week-end by the Texas Railroad Commission at Austin.

The commission slashed the April state-wide oil allowable by 123,029 barrels to 2,814,252 barrels a day.

Strong pressure was exerted on the threee-member oil regulatory agency to drop the allowable by more than 300,000 barrels in hopes of cutting surplus stocks and eliminating pipeline proration.

The permissive flow pattern is based on nine producing days, meaning wells will be shut down 21 days next month. A majority of the oil firms and independent oil producers appearnig before the commission sought an eight-day pattern.

Chairman Ernest O. Thompson reported crude stocks in the nation totaled 251,700,000 barrels as of March 4, some 1,700,000 barrels below the desired level as estimated for this date by the oil company executives a year ago. Products are 60,800,000 barrels high.

**SOMETHING TO LEARN.**

"I can't marry him, mother. He's an atheist. He doesn't even believe in hell!"

"Go ahead and marry him, dear. Between the two of us, we'll convince him he's wrong."

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"MRS. DEMOCRAT" HONORED—Mrs. H. H. Weinert of Seguin is honored by Governor Price Daniel (seated left) for her 25 years' service in the Texas Democratic party. The presentation was made at asession of the state executive committee in Austin. Standing are Jake Jacobsen of Austin, committee secretary (left), and Ed Connally of Abilene, committee chairman.

# Cubs, Boy Scouts and Explorers of Are to Stage Annual Show at Stamford

Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorers of the Hamlin community, along with boys of the rest of the Chisholm Trail Council of the Boy Scouts of America, will participate Saturday in the annual Scout-O-Rama, scheduled for this year at Stamford, declares Kenneth Lafferty, Scout executive of the area.

About 500 Boys Scouts are expected to take part in the event, appropriately called the fiftieth anniversary show, which is to commemorate the golden ro fiftieth anniversary of Boy Scouting. The show will be staged in the Astin store buildings on the east side of the square in Stamford. It will be operated on a district basis under the supervision of the district camping, and activities committee, chairmaned by Roe Eastland of Stamford.

Up to last week-end more than 40 booths had been spoken for in which crafts will be displayed.

Lafferty said the mayors of Stamford, Hamlin, Haskell, Anson, Albany, Rule, O'Brien, Moran, Rochester and Lueders are invited to act as judges over the various booths.

Booths will be occupied by Cubs, Scouts and Explorers and will feature various phases of Scouting including cubbing at home, scrapbooks, feats of skill, handicraft, collections, bird houses, model boats, basket weaving, den games puppets, papercraft, bead work, rope making, plaster casting, den furniture and tin can craft, all in the Cub pack division.

Scouting exhibits will include tenderfoot knots, compass, tents, camping gear, tower and bridge building, miniature camps, rope making, tin can cooking, first aid, finger printing, etc., and canoeing, radio, guns, archery, photography and various other categories.

**DOWN IN THE GUTTER.**

The sports car owner was giving a friend his first ride in one of the low-slung models. The friend appeared to be puzzled so the driver asked what was wrong.

"I can't figure out what that long wall is which we've been passing."

"That's no wall," snapped the driver, "it's the curb."

# Contracts Let for Microwave Project In Hamlin Region

Contracts have been let and work is to begin immediately on a $90,000 microwave system between Stamford in Northeastern Jones County and Sweetwater in Nolan County, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company officials anounced last week-end.

D. D. Dillard, district manager for Bell, said that Boyd J. McDaniel Company of Abilene has been awarded contracts for buildings, and Tower Construction Company of Sioux City, Iowa, was awarded contracts to erect towers.

Two two-room buildings are to be built. One will be north of Roby off Highway 70 to the west, and the other will be built six miles north of Sweetwater, off Farm Road 419.

The buildings, of concrete block construction, will house microwave and emergency power generating equipment.

A 11-foot microwave antenna is to be erected atop the Belmont exchange telephone building in Sweetwater, Dillard said.

Other construction will consist of a small building at the rear of the Prospect dial telephone building in Stamford to house emergency power generating equipment. The Prospect exchange is to be rearranged to provide for microwave equipment.

Facilities are also to be provided at Hamlin for the installation of emergency generators.

Towers are to be erected at Sweetwater, Roby, Hamlin and Stamford. Towers will range rom 100 to 240 feet in height, the highest being at Hamlin.

**WASTING AWAY?**

The junior executive had been complaining of aches and pains to his wife. Neither one could account for his trouble.

Arriving home from work one night he informed her: "I 'finally discovered why I've been feeling so miserable. We got some ultra-modern office furniture two weeks ago, and I just learned today that I've been sitting in the waste-basket."

# DROWNING

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Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Almeda Plemons; five sons, W. L. Plemons of Abilene, A. E. Plemons of Artesia, New Mexico, James Plemons of Avenal, California, Ford Plemons of Illinois and Doyle Plemons of Abilene; two daughters, Mrs. N. A. (Vada) Putman of Hamlin and Mrs. Billy (Jo Ella) Taylor of Arlington; one brother, Mac Plemons of McGregor; one sister, Nettie Plemons of Waco; 16 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

**MASCULINE COUNTERPART.**

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"He's an expediter."

"What's that?"

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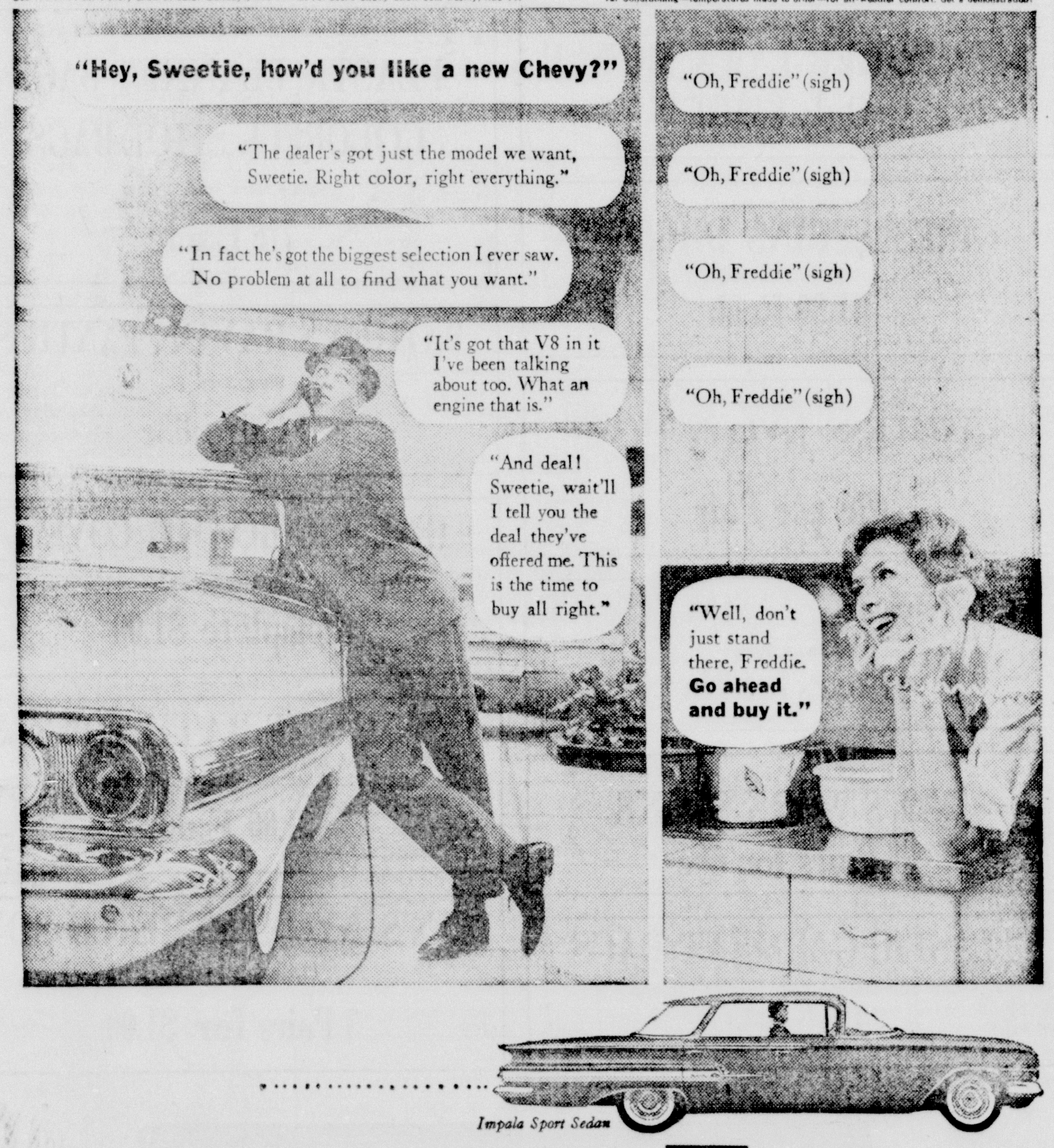


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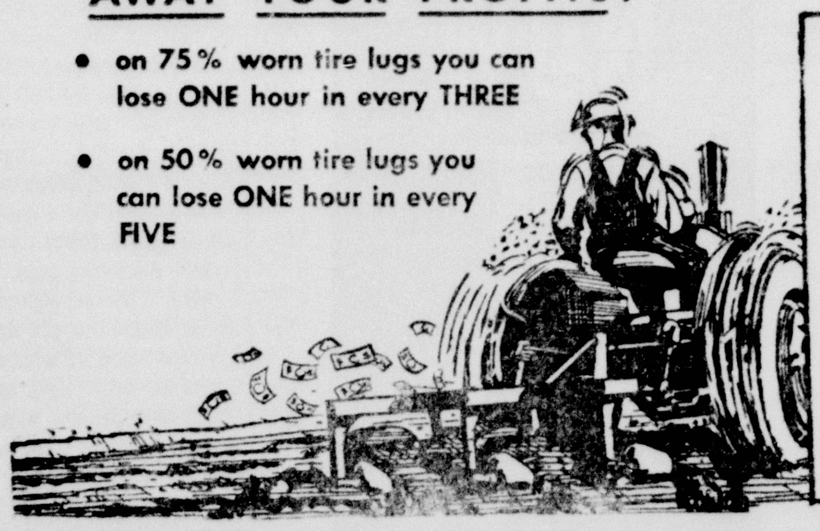

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# Two Wildcats and Two Pluggings in Area Oil Spotlight

Staking of two wildcats, report on drilling in another prospector, and two pluggings constitute highlights of oil activity in the Hamlin territory this week.

Location for an Ellenburger wildcat has been staked 10 miles north of Hamlin in Stonewall County. The test, slated for 6,200 feet with rotary equipment, will be Fletcher Oil & Gas Drilling Corporation's No. 1 Annie E. Smith. Drillsite is 660 feet from the north and west lines of Section 142, Block 1, H. & T. C. Railway Company Survey. Location is two miles northeast of the Tompkins Field, which has some Ellenburger production and is separated by dry holes.

Irvin Producing Company of Abilene has staked its No. 1 G. J. Taylor wildcat, eight miles southwest of Hamlin. Slated for 3,500 feet with rotary, it spots 330 feet from the north and west lines of the southwest quarter of Subdivision 4, Goliad County School Land Survey 358.

A proposed 3,700-foot wildcat seven miles northeast of Hamlin in Stonewall County was drilling below 1,590 feet in shale. It is Texas Crude Oil Company No. 1 Howard, located in Section 26, Block A, Arnold & Barett Survey.

Fraser & Herb et al of Abilene No. 1 Swenson Land & Cattle Company, wildcat eight miles northeast of Hamlin in Section 133, B. B. B. & C. Railway Company Survey, was plugged at 3,328 feet.

B. R. Greathouse, Pierce & Davis of Midland No. 1 D. A. Bonner in conjunction with W. B. Yarborough of Midland, plugged at 5,309 feet their No. 1 T. Henry project, one mile west of Royston in the Frankus (Strawn Reef) Field. Location was in R. H. Hibbitt Survey 341.

RACIAL BARS FALL IN SAN ANTONIO—An unidentified negro carries his tray at an integrated cafeteria in downtown San Antonio. The lifting of the ban on serving negroes at a number of downtown lunch counters and eating places came after a delegation of Catholic and Protestant leaders met with businessmen. Earlier the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People had threatened sit-ins at lunch counters unless segregation was ended.

## Two from Hamlin Go To Rotary Area Meet

President-Elect James E. Harrison and H. K. Scott represented Hamlin Rotary Club Friday and Saturday at the district convention of District 5?9 of Rotary International at Wichita Falls. More than 400 Rotarians of the Central West Texas area attended.

A Brownwood man was elected district governor at concluding business sessions of the two-day gathering.

If you're tired of reading about the evils of smoking—give up reading.

## Piggly Wiggly Added To S&H Stamp Group

Announcement is being made this week by Edgar Duncan, manager of Piggly Wiggly in Hamlin that his store is being added to the iist of establishments in Hamlin giving S & H green trading stamps.

Other stores also giving the nationally famous stamps are Simpson's Fine Foods, Hastings Texaco Station, May's Texaco Station, Robertson's Texaco Station and Tommy's Flowers.

Piggly Wiggly will continue to redeem the R & H stamps previously issued until May 14, Duncan announces.

Sign at the street crossing. Drive Safely—You Might Kill a Child! Underneath it a small child had scribbled: "Wait for a teacher."


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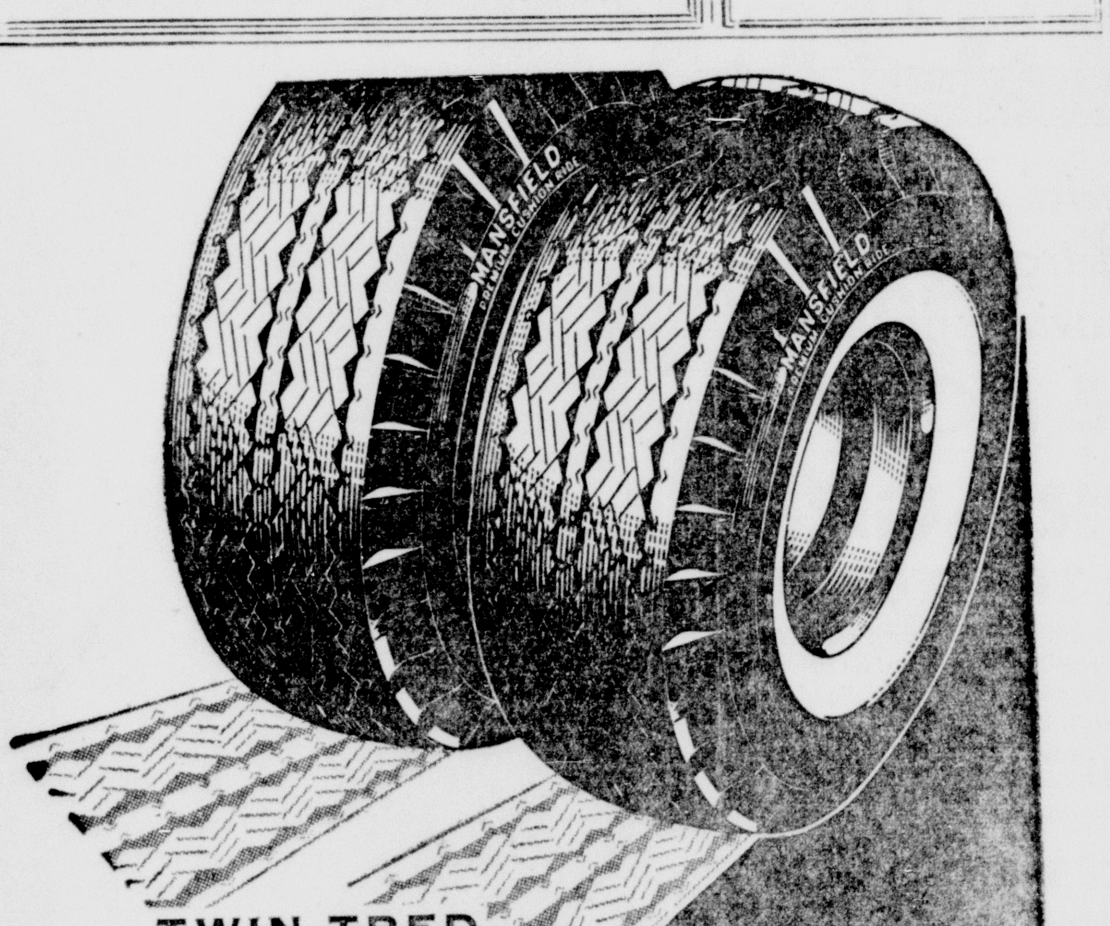

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## NOTICE OF INTENTION OF THE CITY OF HAMLIN TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE ON CITY OWNED LAND

The City of Hamlin, a municipal corporation, having determined that it is advisable to make an oil, gas and mineral lease on the hereinafter described lands, belonging to the City of Hamlin, hereby gives notice of its intention to lease the followig lands, belonging to the City of Hamlin, Jones County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

First Tract: Lying and being situated in Jones County, Texas, known and described as Block No Five (5) of the J. M. Cunningham Subdivision of Surveys Nos. 37 and 38, Austin & Williams League No. 340 in Jones County, Texas, as shown by map or plat of record in the office of the county clerk of Jones County, Texas, less ten acres out of the NW corner of said Block No. 5, heretofore sold by J. C. Coons and wife to C. D. Hart; and being the same land described in deed from the Continental State Bank of Hamlin to the City of Hamlin, Texas, dated August 12, 1914, recorded in Volum e69 on page 183 of the Deed Records of Jnoes County, Texas, to which deed and the record thereof reference is hereby made for all purposes.

Second Tract: All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Jones County, Texas, and located about one and one-half miles east of said City of Hamlin, and being a strip off of the J. M. Cunningham Subdivision of Surveys Nos. 37 and 38, Austin & Williams League No. 340, Jones County, Texas, as shown by the map or plat of said addition now on file in the office of the county clerk of Jones County, and the further conveyance of a road bed of 15 feet in width and length along the north line of the said above described Block No. 4 for the purposes of travel to and from the above mentioned and described four acres of land, and for a better description of the same is described as follows: Beginning at the NE corner of Block No. Four (4) and running south 336 vrs. to a stone for the SE corner of said Block No. Four (4); thence west 63 vrs. to a stone for the SW corner of this four-acre tract; thence north 336 vrs. to the north line of this block to the place of beginning, and being the same tract of land conveyed by J. P. Lamar to the City of Hamlin by deed dated February 1, 1910, recorded in volume 54 on page 491 of the Deed Records of Jones County, Texas.

Third Tract: All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Jones County, Texas, and adjacent to the City of Hamlin, and being five acres, more or less, out of the Chas. Gates Survey No. 353 and being more particularly described by metes and bounds in that certain deed from Mrs. Henrietta D. Moore, a feme sole, to the City of Hamlin dated August 17, 1921, recorded in volume 117 on page 9 of the Deed Records of Jones County, Texas, to which deed and the record thereof reference is hereby made for all purposes of description.

Fourth Tract: All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Jones County, Texas, and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Being 5.18 acres, more or less, out of the Chas. Gates Survey No. 353 and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point of intersection of a line parallel with and 190 feet southeast from and measured at right angles to the center line of the main center line of K. M. & O. Railway and the southwest line of Grand Avenue, Town of Hamlin, Texas; thence north 26 deg. 50 feet east a distance of 576.57 feet to a point; thence north 68 deg. 03 feet east a distance of 668.24 feet to a point; thence south 21 deg. 57 feet east a distance of 145 feet to a point on the easterly property line of K. M. & O. Railway; thence south 46 deg. .03 feet west a distance of 251.1 feet to a point; thence south 68 deg. 33 feet west 420 feet to a point; thence south 38 deg. 33 feet west a distance of 534 feet to a point on the souhwest line of Grand Avenue; thence north 14 deg. 27 feet west a distance of 119.45 feet to a point of beginning; said tract containing 5.18 acres, more or less.

The City of Hamlin herenow gives notice by publication in The Hamlin Herald, a newspaper published in the County of Jones, State of Texas, having a general circulation therein, once a week for a period of three (3) consecutive weeks, and designating the time and place, after such publication where such governing body will receive and consider bids for such oil, gas and mineral lease on the above described lands, at the City Hall in the City of Hamlin, on the 19th day of April, 1960, at 7:30 p. m., regular time, place of regular monthly meeting for the month of April, 1960. The bids to said oil, gas and mineral lease will designate the primary term of such lease, which shall not be for more than a period of ten (10) years, together with the amount of the annual rental to be paid thereunder, and the form of the proposed oil, gas and mineral lease, to the end that the City of Hamlin may determine whether or not the said lease is on such form as will be satisfactory to the City of Hamlin. The city governing body will receive and consider all bids for the leasing of said lands, which are hereby advertised for lease, and upon the discretion of the governing body shall award the lease to the highest and best bidder submitting a bid, provided that if in the judgment of such governing body, the bid or bids do not represent the fair value of such lease, the governing body, in its discretion, may reject the same and again give notice and call for additional bids. A public hearing will be given on the date above mentioned, at the City Hall in the City of Hamlin, Jones County, Texas, as per notice above. The oil, gas and mineral lease shall provide for a royalty of at least one-eighth (1-8th).

Signed this the 21st day of March, A. D. 1960.—The City of Hamlin By L. H. McBride, Mayor. Attest: Mrs. H M. Barrow, City Secretary. 22-3c

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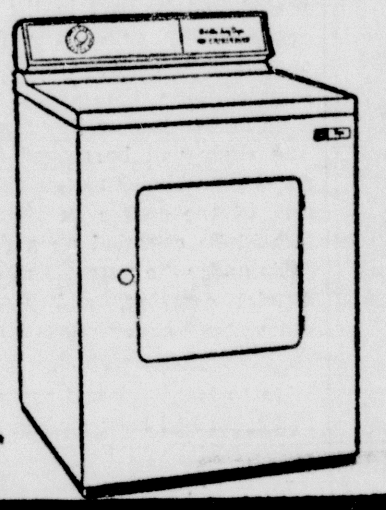

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